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Applicant: William Possidento

Title: DISTILLATION DEVICE

Group Art Unit: 1764
Examiner: V Manoharan

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Arlington, VA. 22202



AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Dear Examiner Manoharan:

See enclosed: Request for 1 month Extension of time and fee in support for the above referenced case and a revised Appeal Brief attached to this amendment.

This is in response to the advisory action of 10/28/99.

Amend the claims as follows:

Delete claims: 16 and 21.

Amend the specs as follows:

With reference to the preliminary amendment of 9/29/97; and w/ respect to that passage to be inserted on page 5, line 21 (passage begins on page 1 of the preliminary amendment):

In line 3, change "trough" to --outer housing-In line 12, change "trough" to --outer housing--